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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 1538 / HP1063

Original Title: An Act To Increase the Safety of Hospital Patients. New Title: Resolve, To Further the Collection of Hospital Quality Data Regarding Nurse Staffing. Presented by Representative FAIRCLOTH of Bangor. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Labor. Public Hearing 05/04/07. OTP-AM Accepted 06/12/07. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) H-517. Final Disposition: Finally Passed, Signed 06/19/07, RESOLVE LAWS, Chapter 88.

**Original Bill**[LD 1538 \(123rd Legis. 2007\)](#)**Analyst's Summary of Bill and Enacted Law**[LD 1538 / Resolve 2007, c. 88](#)**Committee Materials**

Joint Standing Committee on Labor

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**New Drafts and Amendments**[Amendment CA \(H-517\) \(LD 1538 2007\) \(Passed\)](#)**Floor Proceedings and Debate**[HOUSE, March 20, 2007 \(H223-238\)](#)

- p. H-227

[HOUSE, March 21, 2007 \(H239-250\)](#)

- p. H-250

[SENATE, March 22, 2007 \(S339-351\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 29, 2007 \(S367-382\)](#)

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[HOUSE, June 11, 2007 \(H718-742\)](#)

- p. H-735 (Amendment(s) H-517)

[SENATE, June 12, 2007 \(S966-1011\)](#)

- p. S-971 (Amendment(s) H-517)

[HOUSE, June 14, 2007 \(H783-798\)](#)

- p. H-796 (Amendment(s) H-517)

[SENATE, June 15, 2007 \(S1059-1088\)](#)

- p. S-1066 (Amendment(s) H-517)

**Enacted Law or Resolve**

[Resolve 2007, c. 88](#)

**News Articles**

State should set nurse-patient ratios (Caristi, Maureen) (Portland Press Herald, 5/4/2007) ●  
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